

Clarksville Chronicle.

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J. A. GRANT, Editor.

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CLARKSVILLE, DECEMBER 4, 1865.

Positive Notice.—All persons indebted to the firm of NEBLETT & GRANT, before the war, are respectfully notified that unless they come forward in a short time and make settlement, they will find their accounts in the hands of an officer.

To Advertisers.—All advertisements to be inserted in the Chronicle for less than six months, must be paid for when handed in. Job work must be paid for when delivered. These rules will be strictly adhered to.

Joe Paxton.—We have an excellent Job Printer, and are prepared to do most any kind of Printing with neatness and dispatch.

Those of our patrons who have proposed paying their subscriptions in wood, are requested to bring it in, as our fuel rations are getting very scarce.

Our landlord has commenced improving the front of our office. Those excellent painters, Farkins & Turley, are the workmen—which insures a neat job.

We invite special attention to Andrew King's column. He has a large and well assorted stock of Goods and is securing a liberal patronage by his fair dealing and prompt attention to customers.

Now that a Post Office is established at Port Royal, in this county, we would be pleased to procure a good list of subscribers from that section. Let our friends up there go to work and get it up for us.

The report of Small-pox, yesterday, was six deaths in the Pest-house, a few discharged, and thirty-three still remaining. We hear of it in various localities about town; but we are not advised as to the measures adopted to prevent its spread.

Our good-looking Cousin, Walter Neblett, has been appointed Freight Agent, at this place, and is now ready to receive and ship by railroad, produce and freight of every description, with promptness.

We are constantly under obligations to Mr. Charlie Gilliam, at the Post Office, for late papers. Call and examine his stock of new Novels.

GOVERNMENT SALE.—The sale of Government property, which has been going on here since Wednesday last, is still in progress. We have not been able to attend the sale, but here that the property is bringing, as a general thing, very good prices.

Stroer.—If you want to grow large, feel rich, or get in a good humor generally, just call on Sam Stroer, at Tom Harrison's. A hint to the knowing ones is sufficient.

Resignation.—D. W. Nye, Esq., on account of a pressure of other business, has resigned his office as recorder of the city, and Mr. L. G. Williams has been appointed in his place. A good appointment.

C. O. Faxon. Esq. has gone to Louisville, and will there be connected with W. N. Haldeman in the editorial management of the Courier, which is about to resume publication. Mr. Faxon is a fine writer, and his trenchant pen will lend interest and good humor to the columns of the Courier.

We are authorized to announce that Mr. Augustus L. Johnson will deliver a Lecture, tomorrow, (Saturday) night, at 7 o'clock, P. M., in the Methodist Meeting-house, in this city. His subject will be "The necessity of the Union of all Christians for the conversion of the world."

Red River Warehouse.—Smith & Turnley have rented this large and conveniently arranged warehouse, and intend doing a general Receiving, Forwarding and Commission business. This firm is well known to the planters, and deserve a liberal share of patronage.

Harrison & Shelby, Receiving, Forwarding and Commission Merchants. The attention of the reader is directed to their card in this issue. They are energetic, business men, and will attend faithfully to all business entrusted to them.

PERSONAL.—Our handsome friend, DAVID HADEN, has retired from the noise and confusion of New York city life, and is rusticating in this section—his old stamping ground. We learn that he intends locating in Memphis. Success to you, DAVID P., where and when you go.

To MARRYING YOUR MEN.—If you are a ladies man, or an admirer of the sex, we would advise you to call at T. & R. E. McCulloch's Clothing Store, on Franklin street, and let them "dress you up" in one of their fine Cloth Suits, and then if you don't get married, why—she won't have you, that's all.

RECEIVING.—Bloch Brothers, are constantly receiving additions to their already large and complete stock of staple and fancy dry goods, clothing, boots and shoes, and in fact, everything usually kept in the dry-goods line. Read their advertisement, and then call and examine their stock.

Big Deer Hunt.—A week or two ago, a large party left this vicinity, for Humphreys county, on a hunting excursion. They give a glowing description of the hunt, fun, frolic &c. They report that they killed twenty-seven. Our friend Fisher brought to the city, the largest pair of horns that we have seen for many years. Rally for Bob!

NEW JEWELRY.—Charles L. Cooke, on the Public Square, has just received one of the largest and most complete lot of Jewelry that was ever brought to this city. Amongst the lot are some splendid American Gold and Silver Watches. You can find, at this house, almost anything you may desire, in the Jewelry line, at moderate rates. Call and examine for yourself.

BANK NOTICE.—We are requested to state that on and after Monday next, the 4th inst., the Northern Bank and the National Bank, of this city, will close their doors daily, promptly at 3 o'clock. This is necessitated in order to allow the cashiers time to balance their cash and write up their correspondence.

A SAD ACCIDENT.—On last Monday, Mr. Stephen E. Reeves, son of H. A. Reeves, of this county, while hunting, in company with Mr. John Clark, received a wound by the accidental discharge of his gun. A portion of the lead entered the corner of his right eye, and tore the skin to the top of his head. Drs. Thomas and Clark were called in, but

Clarksville and its Trade.

Last week, we had a few words to say on the subject of "Clarksville and its Trade;" and as fastening as are its prospects, we must remind the people that, to secure a future of extended growth and permanent prosperity, something more is wanting than the kind of trade heretofore spoken of. Now that rivers and railroads equalize the advantages for the growth of towns, large cities can only be built up by manufacturing and mechanical labor. An extensive shipping business may be done by a small place, but wealth and population are the result of diversified pursuits which give employment to much skilled labor, supply home demand, and furnish a home market for agricultural products. When the farmers can come to Clarksville and purchase whatever they need of Clarksville manufactures, and sell their surplus products to city consumers, then we shall be on the highway to prosperity. If, however, we rely upon the river and the railroad to build up a populous city, disappointment is as certain as the coming day. Experience has demonstrated this fact, and it is idle to look for effects that can only follow adequate causes. Then, let capitalists and business men seriously consider what ought to be done, and hasten to do it. Until they resolve so to act, they can hope no higher destiny for Clarksville than that of a prosperous little "burg," in the midst of a fertile country, washed by a navigable river, and perforated by a railroad. Then let us begin to manufacture—starting off with the cheapest and simplest establishments, and progressing gradually to the consummation of all that is practicable under the conditions of locality and materials. Dry goods and grocery houses supply population with out increasing it, manufactures do both.

We are happy to announce that the Depot has been put in order for the reception of freight, and that the trains are running twice a day, to and from Tall Station. Mr. Fiecke has declined the appointment of Superintendent and Engineer of the road, and the same has been conferred upon Mr. G. C. Dreed, who proved his competency for the position by his agency in the original construction of the road.

Passenger train, for State Line, leaves at 6 o'clock, a. m. Returning, arrives here at 8:35, a. m. Evening train leaves Depot at 3:50 p. m., and returns here at 6:10, p. m.

CRY ALARM.—Last Saturday night our usually quiet little city got "on a bust," and tried to put on real city licks. Several shooting affairs came off, and one man was stopped on the Port-Royal Pike, near the suburbs of the city, and relieved of all his money about his person, which was about \$30.

Monday morning, a young man named Ritter shot at a Mr. Ballentine. This last affair was carried before Squire Dreed, for trial, but we have not learned the result.

THE STEAMER CUMBERLAND.—Captain Ben. F. Egan, so well known to the travelling public on this river, has charge of the above steamer. The Cumberland was built expressly for this river, and will ply between Nashville and Cairo, as soon as the river rises. Captain Egan is a clever, polite and accommodating officer, and will spare no pains or expense for the comfort of all who may travel with him.

JO. W. EDWARDS has rented the residence and Factory of Mr. Hugh Dunlop, in this city, and intends residing with us in the future. He is now ready to buy Tobacco, loose or priced. Planters will consult their interest by calling on him, as they cannot sell their crops for a better man. Mr. C. Kipp, one of the best accountants in the country, will be in attendance to assist in the transaction of business.

THE Memphis Commercial comes to us in Quirto form, and makes a very handsome appearance. It is edited by Messrs. Hunt, formerly of the Washington Globe and Charleston Mercury; Leon Treadwell, of the Memphis Appeal and Nashville Union; Rolfe Saunders, of the Memphis Enquirer and Evening Bulletin; and J. M. Keating. With a corps of such able and experienced editors, the Commercial must be a leading paper in the south-west, and emanating from an important commercial centre, will exert an extensive influence.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Special to Tribune says: No part of the President's Message has received so much special care as that portion referring to our relations with Mexico. His position is understood to be that while we are not indifferent to transpiring events in Mexico, yet interference on our part is unnecessary.

A Montreal letter says: The Fenian expedition having sailed for Canada, the Provincial Confederation scheme will soon be brought up again. Every effort will be made by the Canadian and home Governments to effect a union of the colonies, but maritime power will oppose it. A French Republican Club has been organized in Montreal, with the object of agitating in favor of the annexation of Canada to the United States.

Parties who left the city of Mexico on the 8th ult., state that most of the public men and politicians in that city looked upon war with us as quite probable, and were making preparations in consequence. The violation of neutrality by a Federal soldier on the Rio Grande was considered as the forerunner of invasion on a large scale, and the dispatch of Gen. Weitzel to Gen. Steele as indicating clearly the intention of the Federal authorities to provoke war with Mexico. Several cabinet meetings had been held in which the question of war with us was agitated.

New York, Nov. 27.—A colored clergyman, Rolla Martin, gave results of his mission to England to aid for the fugitives of the South at the Presbyterian church. He succeeded in obtaining \$60,000, but thought the freedmen merely rely on contributions from the North for relief. He found much sympathy among prominent Englishmen, but a general unwillingness to contribute pecuniarily, from fear that they might be considered imperiously interfering in our domestic concerns.

Clarksville Money Market.

RATES OF PREMIUM AND DISCOUNT.
Corrected weekly for the Chronicle, by the Northern Bank of Tennessee.

D. N. KESNEY, Prof., L. GLENN, Cash.
JOHN W. FAY, Teller.

BUYING RATES.
U. S. Treasury notes, Par
National Bank notes, Par
Bank of the Union, Nashville, Tenn., Par
Bank of the State of Tennessee, Par
All Kentucky Bank notes, 1 to 5 per cent Discount
The following notes are worth the figures annexed:
Bank of Tennessee and Branches, 40 to 50
Planters Bank, 52 to 54
Union Bank, 52 to 54
Other Tennessee Bank notes, 10 to 15
South Carolina, 10 to 15
Georgia, 10 to 15
Alabama, 10 to 15
North Carolina, 10 to 15
Virginia, 10 to 15
Gold, 12 to 14
Silver, 10 to 12
Exchange, varying rates, 1 to 4 per cent. Dis.
Ex. currency, varying rates, 1 to 4 per cent. Dis.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

DARGA BROS.—The undersigned has engaged to remain with Messrs. Finley & Stewart, and give his personal attention to the business, as in old times. He therefore respectfully requests his old friends and customers to continue their patronage with the new firm, where every effort will be made to give satisfaction.
TOWNSEND A. TAYLOR.

LET those who have doubted the virtues of Bull's Cedron Bitters, if any such there be, read the following certificate from gentlemen well known in this community, and doubt no more.

Its general introduction into the army will have the lives of thousands of our soldiers.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 3, 1863.
We, the undersigned, have seen the good effects produced by the use of Dr. John Bull's Cedron Bitters in cases of general debility and prostration of the system, and believe its general use would prevent disease and relieve much suffering. Among our soldiers particularly would this be the case, especially those who are exposed to malarial influences in the southern climate.

Davis, Green & Co., wholesale shoe dealers, Main Street, Louisville.

Hart & Magruder, Lithographers, cor. Market and Third Streets, Louisville, Ky.

Maj. Phillip Speed, Col. Int. Revenue, 3d District, Ky.

Harvey Hughes & Co., publishers Democrat.

Geo. P. Doorn, Prop. Louisville Anzeiger.

Hughes & Parkhill, wholesale Dry Goods Dealers, Main Street, Louisville.

Capt. S. F. Hildreth, of steamer Maj. Anderson.

Maj. L. T. Thornton, Paymaster U. S. Army.

G. M. Metcalf, National Hotel, Louisville, Ky.

Col. Jesse Bayles, 4th Ky. Cavalry.

George D. Prentice, Louisville Journal.

For sale by **FINLEY & STEWART.**

NEW STORE!

NEW GOODS!

Having leased the Store on the Corner of Franklin-St. and the Square, for a term of years, formerly known as Elder's Block, but now as the RED CORNER!

I HAVE COMPLETELY RENOVATED and re-modelled the house, to such an extent that there are no houses in this place that will surpass it for comfort and convenience, and it will in any other place, and I will keep constantly on hand a complete and well selected stock of:

Dry Goods! Notions! Boots! Shoes! Hats! Oil Cloths! Shawls! Cassimeres! Cloths! Etc., Etc.,

DRY GOODS.

Consisting in part of all grades of Dress Goods—such as Black and Fancy Suits; French and English Merinos; Paris and French Reys; Colours of Irish Portmanteau; Brocade; Empress Cloth; Black and Fancy Lustrous; Gingham; Scotch Plaids, &c. All kinds and colors of Flannels, Linseys, Stripes, Cassimeres, Cassimeres, Coat and Clothing Cloths, White and Gray Best Blankets; an elegant assortment of Notions, Hosiery, Socks, Regatta and Scarfs. Also a fine assortment of Staple and Fancy Notions, comprising Ladies' Lace and Worked Paper Collars; Gents' Linen and Paper Collars; Gents' and Ladies' Plain and Fancy Neck Ties; Gents' and Ladies' Handkerchiefs, Gloves and Hosiery; (Alexander's Kids); Scarfs, Trimmings and Black Velvet Ribbons; Trimming and Bonnet Ribbons; assortment of Braids, Bagie, Gimp and Buttons; Plain and Tinsel Cord. Large assortment of Plain and Fancy Dress Buttons; Ladies' and Gents' Suspender; Soap and Perfumery; Silk Stock and Handkerchiefs; Sewing Needles; Port-Monies and Pocket Books; Hair Nets and Pins; Gaiters, Valencia, Linen and Thread, Edging; Insertions; Love and Silk Vails; Black and White; Corsets, Tassels, Sewing Silk, Binding, &c. And a splendid assortment of Ladies' Gents' and Children's Custom-made and Eastern Shoes; a good assortment of Boys' and Gents' Wool and Fur Hats; and in fact everything usually found in a well assorted stock of Dry Goods, Notions, Shawls, Boots and Hats, &c. &c.

And I will say to the public, I will sell them Goods as CHEAP as any other house, and offer inducements in order to none.

Call and see for yourselves. My motto is—

"Quick sales and small profits."

I have employed in my house long experienced and well known men—Mr. H. Madison Atkins, Mr. Sam'l Johnson and G. Boyd Jones.

Respectfully,

JOHN P. HELMS.

Nov. 10, '65—cm

To my former friends and patrons, I would respectfully say, I leave the corner of the Red Corner, with Mr. J. P. Helms, ready and willing as ever to show you goods, and more than ever pleased to sell you.

Truly,

SAM'L JOHNSON.

I would say to my friends and acquaintances, though a novice in the business, I would be glad to see them, at all times, at the Red Corner; owing to the uniformity of prices in the house, I can sell you goods as cheap as any man in the house or town. Respectfully,

G. BOYD JONES.

W. A. HARPER. **E. A. BERNOUY.**

HARPER & BERNOUY,

Cotton & Tobacco Factors,

—AND—

GENERAL COMMISSION

MERCHANTS,

NO. 4 COMMERCIAL ST.,

ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI.

PROMPT AND FAITHFUL ATTENTION given to the sale of Produce, and remittances made without delay.

Special attention paid to the filling of Southern orders.

REFERENCES:

Capt. H. G. McComas, Steamer Imperial.

Messrs. Jno. C. Bull & Co., St. Louis.

Mr. Charles R. Baly & Co., St. Louis.

Home, Rex & Tracy, St. Louis.

J. B. Carson & Bro., St. Louis.

Van Pelt, Waters & Co., St. Louis.

Building and Saving Association and St. Louis Merchants generally.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 13, '65—cm

Coulter & Hillman

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Price List, Nov. 1865.

PLAIN DEBEGE DRESS GOODS, 37 1/2 cents per yard.

PACIFIC AND HAILTON DELAINS, 40 cents per yard.

FINEST ALL-WOOL DELAINS, 75 cents per yard.

POPLINS, PLAIDS & ALPACA DRESS GOODS; 37 1/2 cents to \$1.00 per yard.

EMPRESS CLOTHS AND FRENCH MERINOS, \$1.25 to \$1.50 per yard.

ALL WOOL FLANNELS, WHITE AND COLORED, 50 cents to \$1.00 per yard.

SHAKER FLANNELS, 75 cents per yard.

4-4 DOMESTICS, 35 cents per yard.

SPRAGUES' CORNCOBS, AMERICAN AND OTHER PRINTS, 25 cents per yard.

COATS SPOOL COTTON, 10 cents.

SMITH'S NEEDLES, 10 cents.

HENNING'S NEEDLES, 5 cents.

SKIRT BRAID, 10 cents.

HEAVY JEANS (all wool filling), 75 cents per yard.

HOOP SKIRTS, \$1.50 to \$3.00.

WHALEBONE FRENCH CORSETS, \$2.00.

ALEXANDER'S KID GLOVES, \$2.25.

LADIE'S CLOAKS

AT COST.

READY-MADE

CLOTHING!

VERY CHEAP.

CLOTHS AND CASSIMERES,

GREAT VARIETY—VERY CHEAP.

DRY GOODS,

GROCERIES,

BOOTS & SHOES

Clothing and Hats,

Lowest cash Prices.

Sell at a Small Advance on Cost.

Choice Brands of Family Flour!

ALSO,

Powder, Shot and Caps.

Country Produce Generally!

PLEASE GIVE US A CALL!

TRY US!—PROVE US!

NO TROUBLE to SHOW GOODS.

Remember The Place!

The People's Store.

Just Received Per Express.

A desirable lot of

Ladies' Trimmed Hats at \$3.50.

Worth \$5.

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REMOVED!

Rice & Moore's Old Stand,

Lately Occupied by L. STRAUS.